

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Stephen John HINDE :
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 44 as follows:

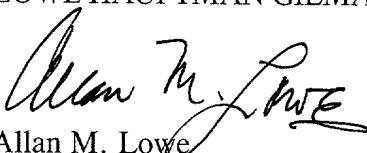
44. (amended) Apparatus according to claim 41, wherein the selection arrangement comprises a speech input subsystem operative to recognise an audio label spoken by the user and select the corresponding service.

REMARKS

Claim 44 has been amended to cure an antecedent basis problem. Entry is in order.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED-UP VERSION SHOWING CHANGES

44. (amended) Apparatus according to claim 41, wherein the selection [means] arrangement comprises a speech input subsystem operative to recognise an audio label spoken by the user and select the corresponding service.